

THE "TOUCH" OF SPRING



MRS. TAFT BETTER STANDARD OIL MUST DISSOLVE

PRESIDENT'S WIFE IS TAKEN SUD-
DENLY ILL WHILE VISITING
IN NEW YORK.

NATION'S CHIEF AT BEDSIDE

Improvement in Patient's Condition So
Marked Bulletin Are Discontinued
by Physicians—Makes Address to
Railroad Men.

New York, May 16.—Mrs. Taft, whose sudden illness interrupted the president's plans and brought him hurriedly to her bedside from Harrisburg, Pa., is much improved, and President Taft was able to return to Washington as he intended.

It was announced at Henry W. Taft's house that because of Mrs. Taft's marked improvement no official statement would be made regarding her condition.

Wishes to Go With Husband. The patient is cheerful and desired to return to Washington with her husband. She was persuaded, however, that it would be better if she remained here for two or three days. Miss Helen Taft, her daughter, will remain with her.

The president's brother, where Mrs. Taft was ill, left



MRS. WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT

the house. He said that the patient was doing well and showing encouraging improvement.

Becomes Ill at Banquet.

Mrs. Taft first complained of feeling ill while attending the dinner given by the Academy of Political Science, at which the president spoke. Sunday morning it was considered inadvisable for her to leave the house.

The president went to Harrisburg alone and returned immediately after he had addressed the convention of railway trainmen. The first information regarding Mrs. Taft's illness was received by the president just before he left Harrisburg.

Mrs. Taft's illness was said to be a recurrence of the nervous trouble from which she suffered two years ago, but in a less severe form. It was expected that she would be able to return to Washington in two or three days.

Taft Talks to Union Men. The tenth biennial convention of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen here President Taft bluntly stated his views on organization of government employees and affiliation with the American Federation of Labor.

Thomas W. Norcross Is Dead. Reno, Nev., May 16.—Thomas W. Norcross, eighty-three years of age, pioneer of Nevada and the Pacific coast, and father of Justice Frank H. Norcross of the Supreme court and of Charles A. Norcross, publicity commissioner of Nevada, is dead at Carson after a long illness. He was prominent in the early mining history on the Comstock.

is a Corporation in Restraint
of Trade

SUPREME COURT ISSUES MANDATE

Gives the Company Six Months of
Life After Which It Must Separate
Into Its Component Parts—Long
Battle in the Courts Ended.

Washington.—The United States Supreme Court affirmed, with certain minor modifications, the decision of the United States circuit court at St. Louis, dissolving the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey.

The affirmation holds that the company, its subsidiary corporations, is a conspiracy and combination in restraint of trade, and to be monopolizing interstate commerce in violation of the Sherman antitrust law, and that it must be dissolved within six months.

Thus ended the struggle on the part of the government to put down by a bill of law a combination which had been a menace to the industrial and economic advancement of the entire country. At the same time the court interpreted the Sherman law as to limit its application of acts of "undue" restraint of trade, and not "every" restraint of trade.

Why Mariah Dissented.

It was on this point that the only discordant note was heard in the court. Justice Mariah dissented, claiming cases already decided by the court had determined, once for all, that the word "undue" or "unbreakable," or similar words were not in the statute.

Decision Will Fill a Book.

The opinion of the court was announced by Chief Justice White. In printed form it contained more than 20,000 words.

SENTENCES SET ASIDE.

Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison Will
Not Serve Time in Jail.

Washington.—The supreme court of the United States decided that Samuel Gompers, John Mitchell and Frank Morrison, president, vice president and secretary of the American Federation of Labor, were the victims of a judicial error when they were sentenced to imprisonment by Justice Wright and sustained by the court of appeals of the District of Columbia for contempt growing out of the litigation between the Bucks Store and Range Co. and the federation.

The highest tribunal ruled that the lower courts erred in treating the contempt proceedings as a criminal and not as a civil case.

Hence the imprisonment sentence imposed of one year upon Gompers, nine months upon Mitchell and six months upon Morrison are set aside.

Strikers Clash With Police.

Grand Rapids, Mich.—More than 100 persons were injured, most of them seriously, and at least 10 were fatally hurt in a pitched battle between police and 2,000 striking furniture workers and sympathizers. The great plant of the Widdicombs Furniture Company was the scene of the battle.

Twenty policemen are among the injured. Several will die.

Japan and Spain Agree.

Madrid.—A treaty between Japan and Spain was signed here by Garcia Prieto, Spanish minister of foreign affairs, and M. Arakawa, the Japanese minister.

General Hamlin Is Dead.

Bangor, Maine.—Gen. Charles Hamlin, son of Hannibal Hamlin, vice president under Lincoln, and himself a noted veteran of the Civil War, died here.

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NOTICE.

Office of District No. 19 United Mine
Workers of America.

Knoxville, Tenn.

To Whom It May Concern, Greeting:

We believe the time has arrived when we should notify the miners and mine laborers that there is great danger in delaying the opportunity now offered you to join an organization of your craft, known as the United Mine Workers of America.

The officials of this organization, District No. 19, have made arrangements for all the miners and mine laborers in different localities throughout the district to form local unions in order that the miners and mine workers may better prepare themselves for future agreements, that will be demanded by the miners and their representatives at the expiration of the present agreement.

Trusting the mine workers of this district will avail themselves of this opportunity and assist in seeking to better the now deplorable condition in District No. 19, we remain,

JOHN F. BOWDEN,

President District 19, U. M. W. of A.

PAT CARY,

Vice-Pres. District 19, U. M. W. of A.

J. S. McCracken,

Sec. Treas. District 19, U. M. W. of A.

CHANCERY SALE OF

VALUABLE PROPERTY

No. 11469

H. A. Harth, Admr., et al., vs. Sam

D. Young.

Pursuant to a decree pronounced in the above cause at the April term, 1911 of the chancery court at Knoxville, Tenn., I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, in front of the north door of the court house in Knoxville, Tenn., on Saturday, the 3rd day of June, next, at 11 o'clock a. m., the property mentioned in the pleadings and in said decree, to-wit:

(1st.) Situated in the Second Civil district of Knox county, Tennessee, being a part of lots No. 506 and 507, in John H. Shield's lot of one hundred twenty-nine acres, east of First Creek; beginning at a point on the south-west side of Bell street, thence running south along the west line of Bell street, thirty feet; thence west to a stake; thence northerly with Stephens' line, thirty feet to a stake; thence easterly fifty-seven feet and nine inches to the beginning corner, being the same lot conveyed by H. A. Harth and wife to S. Mac Young, by deed recorded in deed book 200, p. 244. See deed book 197, p. 202, being house No. 111 Bell street.

(2nd.) A certain lot or parcel of land, situated in the old Twelfth Civil District of Knox county, Tennessee, being lot No. 56 in McGhee's Second Addition to the city of Knoxville as shown on the map in the register's office of Knox county, Tennessee, said lot fronting fifty feet on the west side of West Fourth avenue, running back between parallel lines one hundred twenty-five feet to an alley, being one of the lots conveyed by J. A. Eckel and wife to H. A. Harth, by deed recorded in the Register's office of Knox county, Tennessee, in deed book 198, p. 244. See deed book 197, p. 202.

(3rd.) A certain lot situated in the Second Civil district of Knox county, Tennessee, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake, corner of Mrs. S. A. Ledgerwood, thence southerly with B. J. Aline's line sixty feet; thence northerly two hundred fifty feet more or less to Humbert's line, and being parallel with Mrs. S. A. Ledgerwood's line; thence with Humbert's line sixty feet to her corner; thence two hundred fifty feet more or less to the beginning, being the same land conveyed by B. J. Aline and others to S. Mac Young by deed recorded in the register's office of Knox county, Tennessee, in deed book 210, p. 329.

(4th.) Situated in District No. 1 of Knox county, Tennessee, in the Ninth Ward of the city of Knoxville, beginning at a stake on the north side of York avenue, twenty-nine feet and six inches westerly from the northeast corner of York avenue and North street; thence northerly parallel with North street, one hundred forty-five feet more or less to an alley, said line being the *** line of a lot conveyed by Pat Devine to Charles Baker; thence westerly with said alley twenty-nine feet and eight inches to a stake in said alley; thence southerly and parallel with North street and said first line one hundred forty-five feet, more or less, to York avenue; thence easterly with York avenue twenty-nine feet and six inches to the beginning, being the same lot conveyed by H. A. Harth and wife to S. Mac Young by a deed recorded in the register's office in Knox county, Tennessee, in deed book 218, p. 174. See also deed book 207, p. 87; 171, p. 211; 193, p. 77. Each parcel or tract shall be sold separately in bar of all right or equity of redemption.

Terms. Said sale will be made for one-third cash and the balance upon a credit of six and twelve months, taking from the purchaser notes for the purchase money drawing interest from the date of sale, with one or more solvent securities thereon, and retaining a lien on the land as further security for the purchase money.

This 2d day of May, 1911.

J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.

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Frank Sanders, Sol.

May 6-13-20-27

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

No. 11328.

Wm. B. Watson vs. Julius Franklin, et al.

State of Tennessee.

In Chancery Court of Knox County.

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendants, Mona Land and her husband Geo. E. Land, and Ben Franklin are non-residents of the state of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon them, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as them. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.

This 3rd day of May, 1911.

J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.

JOHNSON, WELCKER & SMITH, SOL'R'S.

May 6-13-20-27-11

NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

No. 11606.

Ida McC. Schaefer vs. Joseph Schaefer, State of Tennessee.

In Chancery Court of Knox County.

In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant, Joseph Schaefer, is a non-resident of the state of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of June next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.

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J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.

J. C. HARRIS, Sol.

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NON-RESIDENT NOTICE.

No. 11618

Katie Lillard vs. R. A. Lillard, State of Tennessee.

In Chancery Court of Knox County. In this cause, it appearing from the bill filed, which is sworn to, that the defendant R. A. Lillard is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, so that the ordinary process cannot be served upon him, it is ordered that said defendant appear before the Chancery Court, at Knoxville, Tennessee, on or before the 1st Monday of July next, and make defense to said bill, or the same will be taken for confessed and the cause set for hearing ex parte as him. This notice will be published in the Knoxville Independent for four successive weeks.

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J. C. FORD, Clerk & Master.

J. C. HARRIS, Sol.

May 6-13-20-27, June 3.

Harry Hall, Sol.

May 13-20-27, June 3.

Woodlawn Cemetery

We wish to advise the pub-
lic that the management of
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change, and many of the old
rules have been eliminated and
a much more liberal policy to-
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